

forcing his family into financial hardship and requiring them to accept assistance from others. No doubt this early experience, in concert with Joe's deep Christian faith and the example of some compassionate mentors, played a significant role in setting him on his life's mission of helping those less fortunate.

As a young man, Joe became involved with the St. Vincent de Paul Society and began to expand his work with the poor through that organization. Realizing the need to provide an organizational foundation to capitalize on Joe's dedication and energy, the Catholic Diocese of Belleville began Catholic Urban Programs with Joe as Coordinator, a position he has held to this day.

There are those who say that Joe Hubbard can accomplish more with one phone call than others could with a week's work. In the past 50 years, Joe has developed many contacts and knows how to pull the right resources together to solve a problem. But Joe Hubbard is not just a high-level administrator. Joe goes into the broken homes and squalid apartments to deliver assistance. He visits the sick and elderly and those in prison. He delivers the food and clothing to families. He holds the hands of people as they lay dying, listening to their final words and seeing to it that they are laid to rest with dignity.

Joe Hubbard has received many accolades for the work he has done ministering to the poor and needy in his community but that has never been what drives him. Joe's faith, his family and many friends and service to his fellow man are important to him. Joe has been quoted, "When you are created in the image and likeness of God. . . . We all have a common bond of love." This statement probably best explains what has kept Joe Hubbard doing God's work for his fellow man for these past 50 years.

Madam Speaker, I ask my colleagues to join me in an expression of appreciation to Mr. Joe Hubbard for a lifetime of compassionate care and to wish him the very best in the future.

IN HONOR OF THE EVESHAM
TWINNING ASSOCIATION'S 20TH
ANNIVERSARY

HON. JOHN H. ADLER

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, September 29, 2010

Mr. ADLER of New Jersey. Madam Speaker, I am extremely pleased to honor the Evesham Twinning Association on their 20th Anniversary of their "twin town" relationship between Evesham, New Jersey and Evesham, England. The year 2010 marks 20 years that the two towns of Evesham have shared a formal relationship of friendship.

The little known tradition of twin towns began after World War II to promote international relationships. This tradition was meant to unite a global community to guard against animosity between cultures. While still a new concept in the United States, twin towns has a rich tradition in Europe that fosters appreciation of other cultures and creates bonds between communities.

This tradition of acceptance of similarities and differences between Evesham, New Jersey and Evesham, England has been fostered for 20 years as guests from both countries

have visited their twin town and become part of each other's families. The festivities for the 20th Anniversary of these two towns include a cultural convergence, as the Mayor and Mayoress of Evesham, England and Evesham, New Jersey will exchange gifts. Also, a ceremony with the Cherokee High School Girls Traveling Choir and the Boy Scout Troop #100 from Marlton will promote cultural unity between the two towns.

Madam Speaker, I ask that my fellow representatives of the House join me in congratulating the Evesham Twinning Association on their 20th Anniversary and the citizens of both New Jersey and England who have spent the last 20 years cultivating this cherished relationship. I am proud to be able to represent these exceptional citizens and their British brethren.

A TRIBUTE TO JIM HUDSON,
ALHAMBRA CHIEF OF POLICE

HON. ADAM B. SCHIFF

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, September 29, 2010

Mr. SCHIFF. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Jim Hudson, retiring as Chief of the Alhambra Police Department.

It is with great pleasure that I congratulate Chief Hudson on his very successful career in public service. His lifetime of dedication to public safety—an amazing 34 years—is remarkable. Chief Hudson not only exhibited valor and perseverance, he also fostered courage and dedication among our brave men and women in law enforcement.

Chief Hudson began his career as a Police Explorer, a Cadet, then a Reserve Officer at the Orange Police Department. He then joined the Glendale Police Department in 1981 before he transitioned back to Orange, where he quickly rose through the ranks as an Officer, Sergeant, and finally Lieutenant. In 2001, Chief Hudson made his way to the City of Alhambra where he started as Police Captain and eventually was promoted to Chief of Police in 2004.

Under his leadership, the Alhambra Police worked to build a safe community where Southern California families can live, work and play.

His great leadership and guidance of the police department and the community will be deeply missed.

I ask all Members to join me in thanking Chief Hudson for his extraordinary service. I wish you all the best in your retirement.

TRIBUTE TO MAJOR GENERAL
HARRY "A.J." W. FEUCHT, JR.

HON. STEVE AUSTRIA

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, September 29, 2010

Mr. AUSTRIA. Madam Speaker, I rise today to congratulate Major General Harry "A.J." W. Feucht, Jr. for his outstanding service to our Nation, and the State of Ohio, on the occasion of his retirement.

It is an honor to join the people of Ohio's Seventh Congressional District in congratu-

lating General Feucht upon his retirement as assistant adjutant general for Air, and as a commander for the Ohio Air National Guard.

He also served as the Air National Guard assistant to the commander, Air Force Materiel Command at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base. In this role he provided support necessary to maintain and sustain Air Force weapon systems readiness.

In 1968, General Feucht joined the Ohio Air National Guard and during his service obtained a bachelor of business administration from the University of Cincinnati. He has commanded the 180th Fighter Wing and the 121st Air Refueling Wing in the Ohio Air National Guard and in 2004 was promoted to major general.

General Feucht is an accomplished command pilot with over 4,700 total flying hours with more than 4,000 in the F-100, A-7, and F-16 and over 700 in the KC-135. For his distinguished service, he was presented the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in performance of outstanding services and achievements.

For his many years of dedication to our Nation, I again join the people of Ohio's Seventh Congressional District in extending our best wishes upon his retirement and wish him ongoing success in all future endeavors.

IN HONOR AND RECOGNITION OF
RAMON "RAY" LUGO III, NEWLY
APPOINTED DIRECTOR OF NASA
GLENN RESEARCH CENTER IN
CLEVELAND, OHIO

HON. DENNIS J. KUCINICH

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Wednesday, September 29, 2010

Mr. KUCINICH. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of Ramon "Ray" Lugo III, the newly appointed Director of NASA Glenn Research Center in Cleveland, Ohio. Serving as Acting Director of NASA Glenn since 2007, Mr. Lugo is the first Hispanic-American Director in the history of NASA.

As Director, Mr. Lugo will continue his duties as the leader of NASA Glenn. He is responsible for planning, organizing, and implementing the vital programs and missions that keep NASA Glenn and the Cleveland community on the forefront of scientific research and innovation. In his new position, Mr. Lugo will continue to oversee NASA Glenn programs that focus on spaceflight systems development, aeropropulsion, space propulsion, power systems, nuclear systems, communications and human research.

Mr. Lugo began his career at NASA's Kennedy Space Center in Florida in 1975 while still a student. His experience there inspired him to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in engineering in 1979 and a Master's degree in engineering management in 1982. His work has been recognized with numerous national honors, including two NASA Exceptional Achievement Medals for his outstanding contributions to the Galileo mission and International Space Station redesign. He was also awarded three NASA Outstanding Leadership Medals.

Madam Speaker and colleagues, please join me in honor and recognition of Mr. Ramon "Ray" Lugo III, upon being named the first